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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please enter this amendment prior to calculation of the application filing fees. Please amend the application as follows:

In the specification

At page 1, below the title and above the "Background of the Invention", insert --This is a continuation of U.S. application serial no. 08/139,972, filed October 20, 1993, *now abandoned*, which is a divisional of U.S. application serial no. 07/956,569, filed on October 5, 1992, issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,278,175, which is a continuation of U.S. application serial no. 07/646,564, filed on January 25, 1991, now abandoned.--.

In the claims

Claim 1, line 8, replace "X is CH or N" with --X is N--.

Claim 6, delete ", X is N".

Cancel claim 7.

Claim 8, delete ", X is N".